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Re: Extension for my Class C Taxi Application

Dear Public Service Commission

I have run not into difficulties, but into things that have taken time. Now I am running up on the deadline of Sept, 7th and would request a 30 day extension.

I have all documents required. I have insurance and form E filed. Time was expended in a search for an alternate/competing insurance provider. I was trying to utilize a local Charleston Insurance Agency rather than an Agency out of Hollywood, CA. The Agent I worked with worked for a full week and a half in search of an insurance company that would insure a Taxi. I had absolutely no luck finding insurance through a local Agent. Also, this was not the first time I tried, I tried earlier in the 90 day window as well. I ended up having to go with the Höllywood, CA. agency.

Then I concentrated on the signage for my vehicle. It recently took 3 weeks for me to get two competing quotes from two local print companies and then another two full weeks to get the signage back. Printing signage is expensive enough that it is reasonable to get a competing quote. I had no idea that it would take so long for these companies to put a simple quote through. I even had to drop by the second company 3 times to politely request that the quote be completed. Once completed, it took another week for them to put it in line for printing. I finally have the vehicle signage in hand as of 8/26, and I am ready to apply it.

I have contacted Officer McAllister in order to schedule an inspection. He is not available until Wednesday, September 4th, which is so close to my deadline of September 7th, that I felt it appropriate to ask for a 30 day extension to my September 7th deadline.

I apologize for any trouble this may cause, in reviewing this letter, but I am hopeful that you will my extension request. I don't know why the print quotes and print processing took so long. They just did.

I am requesting a 30 extension to an October 7th deadline.

Sincerely.

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